



**YOUTH ARTS ACADEMY
REGISTRATION DAYS**

**Saturday, September 17th
11am-3pm**

**Tuesday, September 20th
6-7pm**

**Saturday, September 24th
11am-3pm**

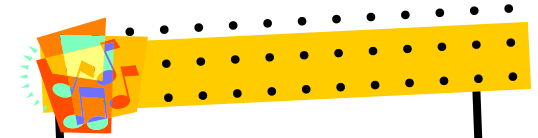
**At Los Altos School site
700 Temple Ave., Camarillo 93010**

Want to save time?
Registration forms are available
at the following websites:
www.pvsd.k12.ca.us
www.sokm.net

For questions, please call Music
Program Voice Mail (805) 383-8397
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Email Betty Weyek at
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**Classes start
the week of
September 26th!**



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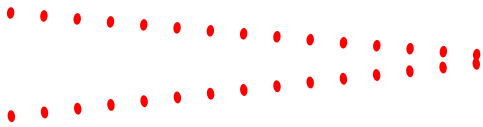
For 4th-8th grade students in
Ventura County

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Created in June 2010, the Pleasant Valley School District Youth Arts Academy is dedicated to providing 4th- 8th grade students in Ventura County with positive, creative and educational experiences in the arts. The fall session, taught by qualified instructors and supported by PVSD and SOKM focuses on visual and performing arts including painting, ceramics, musical theatre, chorus, hip hop dance, strings, and band.

Pleasant Valley School District and Save Our Kids' Music are excited to continue this superb program during the 2011-2012 school year.



General Information

- Open to all 4th - 8th grade students in Ventura County
- Classes are after school one or two days a week
- Class times vary, please see class listings
- Class locations vary, please see class listings
- Classes begin the week of September 26th
- PVSD has a limited number of instruments available to loan out, based on financial need
- Requested donation of \$200 for classes that meet twice a week, and \$100 for classes that meet once a week

YAA Classes offered at Los Altos 700 Temple Ave.

Band

Beginning Band (Wed & Fri 3:45-4:45 p.m.)
No prior music experience needed! Instruction is available for the following instruments: Flute, Clarinet, Alto Sax, Trumpet, Trombone, Baritone/Euphonium, or Bells (Percussion). Band students will need an instrument and the Standard of Excellence Book 1 (method book). Percussionists will need a bell set, drum pad, and drum sticks.

Concert Band (Mon & Thurs 3:45-4:45 p.m.)
This class is for students with at least one year of instruction on a band instrument. Concert Band students will need their instrument and Standard of Excellence Books 1 & 2. This class will work on different styles of music from a variety of composers in a fun group setting.

The Off Beats (Mon & Thurs 3:50-4:50 p.m.)
Students with at least two years of experience on a band instrument may audition to join The Off Beats. This class focuses on jazz, pop and rock literature. Emphasis is placed on many performances and independent practice -- it is very important that all band members be at EVERY performance. Students who are proficient on piano, bass, or rhythm guitar and can read music proficiently are invited to audition as well.



Choral Music/Musical Theater

(Tues 4-5:00 p.m.) **OR** (Thurs 4-5:00 p.m.)
Vocal and dramatic terms and training will be covered. Scripts and music will be rehearsed for the Spring Musical Performance "Gleeful". Holiday choral music will be learned for participation in the Camarillo Christmas Parade, and various community performances.

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Strings

Beginning Strings (Wed & Fri 3:45-4:45 p.m.)
No prior music experience needed! Instruction is available for violin or bass. Students will need an instrument and Strictly Strings Book 1 (method book).

*Only 30 seats available

Intermediate Strings (Mon & Thurs 3:45-4:45 p.m.)
This is for students with at least one year of instruction on a string instrument. Students may play violin, viola, cello or bass. Students will continue using Strictly Strings Book 1 and work on different styles of music from a variety of composers.

Orchestra (Tues 3:45-5:15 p.m.)
Students with at least two years experience on a band or string instrument may audition to join the Orchestra. This class focuses on Baroque, Classical, Romantic, and Modern periods of music. Students must be able to read music proficiently.



YAA Classes—Various Locations

Art

Painting/Drawing (Wednesday 3:45 p.m. Location TBA)
Students will receive an introduction to various painting techniques while working with tempera and watercolor paints. In drawing, students will also be introduced to various techniques of shading to create expressive works of art on a two-dimensional surface. There is a \$30 materials fee for this class.

*Only 30 seats available

Ceramics (Thursday 3:45-4:45 p.m.)

Las Colinas Room-B1

This hands-on art class will teach students various techniques to create artistic pieces, glaze pots, and discover the stages clay goes through as it is turned into a finished work of art. There is a \$30 materials fee for this class.

*Only 30 seats available

Hip Hop (Monday 3:45 p.m. Location TBA)

This is a fun and high-energy dance class that teaches today's pop culture style of dance. This non-stop class teaches short routines to help children to memorize choreography. Throughout this class, students will gain confidence in their coordination and rhythm.